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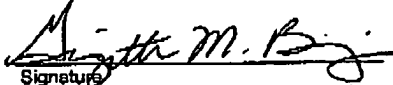
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENTAssistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2004, please consider the remarks set forth below:

REMARKS

In the Restriction Requirement, the Examiner contends that the application contains claims directed to two patentably distinct inventions. Species A - directed towards Fig. 1-6, Species B directed towards Fig. 7-8, and Species C directed towards Fig. 9-10.

The Examiner contends that Species A, B, and C are distinct from one another. Accordingly, the Examiner has entered the above-referenced Restriction Requirement